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IN THE MATTER OF:

DONALD L. BERTELLE

VS.

ILLINOIS BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY

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1 JUDGE ZABAN: By the power invested in me by the  
2 Illinois Commerce Commission I now call 00-0473,  
3 Donald L. Bertelle versus the Illinois Bell  
4 Telephone Company.

5 Let the record reflect it is now 11:35.  
6 This matter was originally scheduled for hearing at  
7 11:15.

8 Would the parties please identify  
9 themselves for the record?

10 MR. KERBER: On behalf of the respondent,  
11 Ameritech Illinois, Mark Kerber, K-e-r-b-e-r, 225  
12 West Randolph Street, HQ 25 D, Chicago, 60606.

13 JUDGE ZABAN: Okay. This matter was up today to  
14 make sure that all discovery had been had.

15 Mr. Kerber, have you received everything  
16 from Mr. Bertelle?

17 MR. KERBER: Let me look. I believe I have.

18 JUDGE ZABAN: Okay. Have you so far, to the  
19 best of your knowledge, answered all of Mr.  
20 Bertelle's requests for data?

21 MR. KERBER: We have.

22 JUDGE ZABAN: Okay.

1 MR. KERBER: It looks like he has responded to  
2 our data request.

3 JUDGE ZABAN: Okay. I will tell you what, Mr.  
4 Bertelle is not here; but Mr. Bertelle has been  
5 here every time and I believe is actively pursuing  
6 this matter.

7 Why don't we set this down for one more  
8 short status date to make sure everybody,  
9 everything has been done and then we can start  
10 setting dates specific for the disclosure of  
11 witnesses and set dates for when testimony has to  
12 be due, okay?

13 MR. KERBER: Okay.

14 JUDGE ZABAN: All right. Let's set this down  
15 for -- how about two weeks from today? Give enough  
16 time to get notice out to everybody.

17 So, let's set this down for March 21st  
18 and that will be at 10:30.

19 MR. KERBER: Okay. That will also be for  
20 status.

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(Whereupon, further hearing in the  
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